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Providence netWORKri Center to Host Health Services Job Fair

PROVIDENCE – Twenty-five eager health service employers will seek to fill their vacancies at the Providence netWORKri Career Center's Health Services Job Fair from 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Thursday May 20th. Hospitals, nursing homes, medical offices, placement agencies, social service, and health insurance agencies will be looking to hire individuals for professional, paraprofessional and administrative jobs including nurses, social service workers, medical technicians, clerical staff, and management. The general public is encouraged to attend.

There are six netWORKri Centers in Rhode Island and each offer a wide array of employment and training services, including job referral, employment and career counseling, peer support groups, aptitude testing, resume writing, and information on the labor market.

At the netWORKri Centers, customers can access personal computers, the Internet, telephone, fax and copy machines *at no charge* to help in their job search. netWORKri is ready to assist any job seeker or employer, whether the goal is a first job, a better job, or a career change. Offices are open Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM. For more information, call toll-free 1-888-616-JOBS or visit www.netWORKri.org.

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The Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training offers a wide array of employment and training services to both the general public and to individuals with unusual barriers to employment. DLT is ready to assist any job seeker, whether the goal is a first job, a better job, or a career change. Rhode Island's work force is protected through the enforcement of labor laws, prevailing wage rates, and work place health and safety standards. Temporary income support is available to unemployed, sick, or injured workers and a comprehensive rehabilitation program is available to those injured on the job.

DLT is dedicated to the growth and competitiveness of Rhode Island industry, administering a variety of training grants, tax credits, and apprenticeship programs to help employers. Economic indicators and labor market information are available for long-range planning. The Agency engages in active outreach, helping large and small employers retain their best workers or retrain their existing work force. At no cost to the employer, DLT will also screen job applicants, post job vacancies, and help businesses institute cost-sharing programs that can avert layoffs.

For more information on the innovative programs and services available to all Rhode Islanders at the Department of Labor and Training, please call (401) 462-8000 or visit the web site at www.dlt.ri.gov.

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